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House Resolution No. 2033

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State residents who have bettered the quality of life for innumerable people through the creation of jobs in local communities and neighborhoods; and

Whereas, George Brill is president of Talisen Technologies, a technology company which has been creating secure extranet environments for large corporate clients in the United States and around the globe for more than a decade; and

Whereas, during Small Business Week, May 3 through May 8, 2004, George Brill will be recognized as the Small Business Person of the Year in Saint Louis; and

Whereas, chosen for this distinct honor by the Small Business Week-Saint Louis Committee, George Brill founded Talisen Technologies in 1991 as a privately-owned, minority-owned business which is headquartered in Saint Louis; and

Whereas, a Small Business Administration Certified Small Disadvantaged Business, Talisen Technologies was listed on the Deloitte and Touche Fast 50 Program during the five consecutive years preceding 2004; and

Whereas, Talisen Technologies has offices in the United Kingdom and partnerships in Greece, the Netherlands, Finland, and Australia to meet the needs of such global enterprises as The Boeing Company, GKN Aerospace, the United States Department of Defense, Anchor Glass, Pulse, MasterCard International, and the United Kingdom Ministry of Defence, among others; and

Whereas, Talisen Technologies developed the first software system ever accredited by Great Britain's Ministry of Defence for use in transmitting restricted information; and

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the entrepreneurial spirit evinced by George Brill as president of Talisen Technologies and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon receiving Small Business Person of the Year honors during Small Business Week; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of George Brill of Talisen Technologies.

Offered by
Representative Neal St. Onge
District No. 88
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 2033, adopted April
22, 2004.